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1. INSTRUCTIONS ON COOPERATION WITH BOB, WITHOUT REVEALING OTHER NETWORK
2. DZHEN, GROUP LEADERS, LIAISON THROUGH ELLEN

(1945)

From: MOSCOW

To: LONDON

No.: 2285 ✓

28 September 1945

(Attachment 1-)

[Last part of multi-part message]

PART \*) End of No. 141\*\*

[58 groups unrecovered]

work. All

[12 groups unrecoverable]

should be kept at your place and in case of need you are to learn the corresponding instructions given to BOB[i]. BOB must be briefed in matters of common concern as [1 group unrecovered] resident, but the other network should not be revealed to him.

6 Paragraph 10 is agreed.

7 Give DZHEN[ii] to understand that at meetings with group leaders he [1 group unrecovered] what they have [3 groups unrecoverable] to us through ELLEN.

[Attachment 1-]  
[N° 141\*\* 23]

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Footnotes: [i] BOB: ✓

Unidentified covername. Unlikely to be identical with "BOB" (Latin spell) in LONDON No. 1684 of 11 July 1941 (3/PPDT/T108, originally issued as 3/NBF/T1438). Boris Mikhaïlovich KBOTOV, Soviet Third Secretary and Consul, who had some responsibility for repatriation affairs, is probably covername "BOB" in LONDON messages of September 1945.

[ii] DEZEN: ✓

Unidentified covername. Also occurs in MOSCOW's message of 12 September 1945 (3/NBF/T2879).

[iii] ELSEN: ✓

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